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Air Strength Of Japs Over Burma Is Cut

U. S. Fliers Have
Part In Destroying
30 Enemy Planes

RANGOON, Burma, Feb. 25.—(P)—American volunteer group fliers and RAF pilots struck one of their heaviest blows at Japanese air strength over Burma today, destroying 30 enemy planes and carrying out effective sweeps over enemy positions along the Sittang river front.

An enemy communique indicated that the British imperial forces, pushed back to the west bank of the Sittang river some 70 miles from Rangoon, had been given a breathing spell after facing intensive Japanese pressure and were making the most of this opportunity to reorganize their defenses.

The communique said: "On the southern front there has been no contact with the enemy. Our troops on the Sittang river are reorganizing after heavy fighting."

"On the northern front there is nothing to report."

"On instructions from the governor of Burma, a military commander has been appointed in Rangoon to prevent looting and arson. Curfew has been ordered from tonight in Rangoon."

New Push Indicated

By DANIEL DE LUCE

MANDALAY, Burma, Feb. 25.—(P)—A new Japanese push into the Shan states of northeastern Burma was anticipated here today, as British troops to the south fought a delaying action from "good positions" along the west bank of the Sittang river, last natural barrier before the Rangoon railway which connects with the Burma road.

Rangoon, principal seaport of Burma and the capital, was semi-deserted following the completion of a compulsory evacuation of all but military elements.

(A Rangoon communique broadcast by the all-India radio said a military commandant had been appointed for Rangoon and a curfew proclaimed in the capital area, effective tonight. These measures apparently tightened military control of the city. The broadcast was heard by CBS.)

Rush With Supplies

A United States military mission supervised the hurried loading of hundreds of trucks with piled stores of lend-lease war supplies and rushed them off toward the Chinese frontier while the Burma road remained open to traffic.

It was understood that stores which could not be moved in time would be destroyed. In this category, it was believed, were many new U. S. built trucks which had not yet been assembled.

Defending the Burma frontier in the Shan state area are thousands of seasoned Chinese troops who marched a thousand miles over rough mountain roads and trails to the Thailand and Indo-China frontiers.

So far they have had only patrol activity and a few clashes with the Japanese and their Thailand supporters.

A Japanese push into the area has been expected ever since the start of the war, and this has had the effect of demobilizing a large fraction of Burma's defending force.

British and American volunteer pilots who yesterday worked continuously up and down the highways back of the Sittang river front reported that Japanese troops were as thick as ants and could hardly be missed by the allied bombing and machine gun attacks.

Evacuate Certain Areas

MADRAS, India, Feb. 25.—(P)—Certain areas of the Chittagong district, the Indian port district which is nearest Burma, will be evacuated shortly for the public benefit, an official announcement said today.

It added that there was no reason for panic, and that the move was purely precautionary.

The Chittagong district is on the shores of the Bay of Bengal near the Burma frontier.

Japanese Rear Admiral Killed

TOKYO (From Japanese broadcasts)—Feb. 25.—(P)—The navy ministry announced today that Rear Admiral Shusaku Shibuya had been killed in action February 14 off Borneo.

If You Miss Your Paper
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The Democrat desires that all subscribers receive their papers promptly and that those not receiving them on time please be sure to call 1000 before 7 p. m. evenings during the week, or before 10 a. m. Sunday mornings, that they may not miss an issue. After those hours no one is available to make a second delivery.

Word Quiz For The Lions Club

The members of the Lions club, meeting today in a luncheon session at the St. Francis hotel, tested their knowledge of word definitions, in a dictionary quiz, conducted by Glenn Neely and Herbert Hall. The team captained by Sam Highleyman won.

Elgin Smith was introduced as a new member, presented by the attendance contest team of which Dan M. Carr is captain. Two members were taken into the club last week, Dr. W. K. Holdren and "Bill" Davis.

There were two guests at the meeting today, Dr. William Sparran and William Gunthry, of Warrensburg.

Six Survivors Of Torpedoed Freighter Land

For 66 Hours In
Fight For Life
In Rough Seas

By EDWARD O. ETHELL
BALTIMORE, Feb. 25.—(P)—Six men, the only known survivors of the torpedoed Norwegian freighter Blink whose sinking was announced by the navy department today, told haltingly of their 66-hour fight for life in a swamped lifeboat in rough, shark-infested seas.

The 2,700-ton freighter was torpedoed without warning off the Atlantic coast with a probable loss of 24 lives.

The survivors believe the chief engineer, donkeyman and a fireman of the 22-year-old ship were killed when two torpedoes exploded in the engine room. They believe four others were lost on a life raft.

They watched 17 other crew mates in their crowded lifeboat go mad, then die of thirst and exposure. Their bodies were thrown or washed overboard.

The six were brought to Baltimore on an unidentified vessel last week and taken to the U.S. marine hospital. There were no Americans in the mixed crew.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(P)—The navy announced today that the Norwegian freighter Blink had been torpedoed by an enemy submarine off the Atlantic coast.

No details of the torpedoing were made available. The announcement said merely: "The Blink, a Norwegian freighter, has been torpedoed by an enemy submarine off the Atlantic coast, the navy department today announced."

Labor Policy To President

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(P)—An agreement on the questions of wages and mobilization of industrial man power, worked out by the CIO and American Federation of Labor, was presented to President Roosevelt today by leaders of the two major labor organizations who comprise the new labor war board.

Philip Murray, CIO president, and William Green, president of the AFL, said the statement of policy had been turned over to the chief executive in the course of a conference lasting an hour and a half. It was the second meeting of Mr. Roosevelt with the group.

Just what the two big labor agencies managed to agree on was not disclosed.

Green termed the meeting today "another very satisfactory conference." There was no discussion, he said, of proposals in congress for abandonment of the 40-hour work week during the war.

Present at today's conference, besides Green and Murray, were George Meany and Daniel J. Tobin, of the AFL, and Julius Emspack and R. J. Thomas of the CIO, and Mrs. Anna Rosenberg, secretary to the board.

Defense of the Panama Canal Is Their Concern



Defense of the Caribbean and Panama Canal is the concern of these U. S. army leaders as they confer in Trinidad. British possession in the West Indies. From left to right are: Maj. Gen. William E. Shodd, head of Panama coast artillery command; Maj. Gen. Henry C. Pratt, commander of Trinidad sector; and Lt. Gen. Frank M. Andrews, head of Caribbean command. (NEA Telephoto)

Foreman On Section Killed Near Smithton

George Schaufler
Victim; Another
Hit By Train

A Missouri Pacific section foreman was instantly killed and one member of his crew seriously injured about 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when they were struck by the engine on freight train No. 92, east bound, about three miles east of Smithton.

George Schaufler, 50, of Smithton, is dead and Bernie Sharper, 43, also of Smithton, is in the Bothwell hospital.

The engineer on the freight train was unaware that he had struck them until the train reached California, Mo. The station agent there notified the crew and after an examination of the engine, it was said there were indications the men had been struck by the engine on that train.

Chance For Recovery

Dr. C. B. Trader, Missouri Pacific physician, said the condition of Sharper was serious, but indicated there was a chance for recovery. He is suffering from a bruised back, chest injury, and possible injury to his spine.

The accident occurred on a curve in a cut about 200 feet west of highway 135 overpass bridge, while the men were working on the road bed. At the time the men were using two air-compressor tampers, which were noisy and drowned out the sound of the approaching train.

W. I. Ehlers, 1018 South Grand avenue, Sedalia, and Harold Scott, whose home is in Smithton, were also working on the crew. It was Ehlers who first noticed the approaching train and yelled a warning which was heard by Scott who jumped free as did Ehlers. It was believed the other two men did not hear the warning in time to escape.

Was Raking Gravel

Ehlers had one tamper and looked up a split second before the train approached their position, and jumped, pulling the tamper back. Sharper was raking gravel.

Into Dispute On Farm Prices

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(P)—President Roosevelt stepped directly into the Senate dispute over farm prices today with a letter protesting that a pending bill represented "selfish interests" at a time the very existence of the country was at stake.

The chief executive, in a letter read at the opening of the Senate session, said that a proposal to restrict sales of government-held stocks of farm commodities would do "irreparable damage to the war effort and farmers of the country."

Declaring that the production of American foodstuffs was vital to allied nations, the president said that the two most important needs at this time were livestock and oil producing products.

Expansion of production in these fields would be impeded by proposed restrictions on the sale of corn, wheat and other commodities by the Commodity Credit Corporation, he declared.

Mr. Roosevelt pointed out that the government had taken large stocks of corn, wheat and cotton off the market in past years in order to keep prices up and insure a fair return for the farmers. He said it was "generally understood" that these stocks would be available in time of emergency.

"That emergency is now upon us," he declared.

The letter, directed to Vice-President Wallace, opposed a pending bill that would prohibit any sales of government stocks now held by the Commodity Credit Corporation at less than parity price.

Killed Tuesday



George Schaufler, 50, Smithton, Missouri Pacific section gang foreman, was killed instantly late Tuesday afternoon when he was struck by an east bound freight train, as he was working on the roadbed about two miles east of Smithton.

Eighteen More To Enter Army

Group Passing
Examinations To
Depart Soon

A call for eighteen young men, to be inducted into the U. S. Army, has been received by the Pettis County Selective Service Board, and the following, who have passed their physical examinations, will be sent in the near future to Jefferson Barracks:

Homer Jack Janes, 421 West Eleventh—Order Number S-2382.
Eugene Calvin Glazebrook, Longwood, Star route—Order Number 2320.

Thomas Riley Hampton, Green Ridge, R. R. 1—Order Number 2325.

James Vernon Walk, Houstonia, R. R. 1—Order Number 2343.
Thomas LeRoy Orr, 1601 South Sneed—Order Number 2421.

George Green Maness, Jr., R. F. D. 3—Order Number S-2425.
Wilbur Howard Donnell, Houstonia, R. R. 1—Order Number 2440.

John Wesley Swisher, 705 North Quincy—Order Number S-2443.

Avery Colwell, La Monte, R. F. D. 1—Order Number 2341-A.
Charles Edward Pangburn, 318 East Fourteenth, volunteer.

Ray Tedstrom Shepherd, Windsor, R. F. D. 5—Order Number 634.

Thomas Fredrick Handley, 419 East Sixth—Order Number 1310.
Allen Edgar Hopkins, 1902 North Harrison—Order Number 1647.

Kenneth Oliver Tucker, 1611 South Carr avenue—Order Number S-1835.

Herbert Edward Evans, 1302 East Sixteenth—Order Number 1857.
William Earl Wampler, 1215 West Spring—Order Number 2274.

Ernest Thomas Hay, Jr., R. R. Smithton—Order Number 2298.
James Ernest McNeil, 1123 West Seventh—Order Number 2424.

Land Survivors Of Sunken Freighter

PONCE, Puerto Rico, Feb. 25.—(P)—Twenty-five survivors of a U. S. freighter, sunk by a submarine 30 miles off Puerto Rico, were landed at 1 p. m. today at Guanica.

The ship was attacked twice, at 8 p. m. last night and at 2 a. m. today, before she sank.

Other survivors were believed to be adrift in lifeboats.

Two Die In Hotel Fire

ABERDEEN, N. C., Feb. 25.—(P)—A roaring fire that destroyed the three-story Sandhill hotel in less than four hours early today brought death to the manager and at least one guest. Several other persons believed registered at the hotel were missing.

Propose Use Of The Fair Grounds

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 25.—(P)—Negotiations were underway between the state and Washington today which may turn the Sedalia State Fair grounds over to the federal government for the war's duration.

Gov. Forrest C. Donnell said the attorney general's office notified Washington of the state's willingness to cooperate in any federal project for the grounds if the state's title to the property is not endangered.

Officials did not know what use would be made of the grounds should they be loaned to the government. Donnell said negotiations had not progressed sufficiently to affect this year's fair.

It was known in Sedalia that the U. S. engineers were here some time ago making a survey, not only of the State Fair grounds, but also of the entire city of Sedalia. They were impressed with the location and available buildings and space on the fair grounds, according to their comments to those who accompanied them on their survey tour.

Allot County 29 New Autos

Local Ration
Board In Charge
Of The Sales

Under the national automobile rationing program Pettis county is allotted twenty-nine new cars in the quotas for the months of March, April and May.

Every Missouri county will be allotted at least two of the 3,336 new passenger cars permitted to be sold in this state between March 2 and May 31 under the program.

State Rationing Administrator J. A. Potter today at Jefferson City announced county quotas ranging from two in the small county of Carter to 735 in the city of St. Louis.

County quotas were based largely on 1941 new car registrations, but "in many counties the extent of local war and defense activity was an important factor," rationing authorities explained.

"Reserve" Allotment

In addition to the 3,336 cleared for sale, Missouri received a "reserve" allotment of 369 cars to be used for adjustment of county quotas which prove inadequate and to provide replacements for outworn cars belonging to governmental agencies.

The national total of 145,500 new cars released for sale in the three-month period represents 43 per cent of the 340,000 new vehicles to be sold essential users in the next 12 months and 30 per cent of the total supply on hand.

The rationing will be administered by local rationing boards.

County new car quotas for Mar. April and May include:

Barry 16, Barton 12, Boone 26, Buchanan 77, Butler 14, Cape Girardeau 34, Carter 2, Chariton 14, Dunklin 19, Greene 90, Grundy 14, Howard 11, Jackson 473, Jasper 79, Livingston 16, Marion 26, Monroe 12, Nodaway 26, Pettis 29, Randolph 25, Ripley 5, St. Louis county 291, St. Louis City 785, Stoddard 16, Vernon 20, Wayne 6.

Restricted Area Is Established

War-time precautions are being taken at the City Light and Traction Co. power plant at Broadway and Ingram avenue and their supply department at Ninth and Ingram, by Chief of Police H. Anderson. Today Chief Anderson ordered restricted certain area around the plant, and the public is prohibited within. He is placing guards there.

Ingram avenue, from Broadway to Tenth street is being closed, and walking on the railroad tracks from the Broadway overpass to Tenth street is prohibited.

Any person who trespasses will be immediately arrested, fingerprinted and held by the Sedalia Police for investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Chief Anderson added, "Sedalia who do not have business down town at early morning hours, should remain off the streets, or they may find themselves picked up by police officers, and taken to headquarters for questioning."

To Drastically Curtail In Use Of Wool

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(P)—R. R. Guthrie, textile chief of the War Production board, dropped a hint today that "all wool" labels might disappear from civilian clothing by the end of the year as the WPB ordered drastic curtailment in use of high grade new wool for civilian uses.

Guthrie said an order would be issued soon requiring clothing manufacturers to blend substitute fibers—such as cotton and rayon—with new wool for civilian uses.

Open Fire On Aircraft At The West Coast

Speculation Of
Enemy Blimp
Soaring Over Area

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25.—(P)—Anti-aircraft guns thundered over the metropolitan area early today for the first time in the war, but hours later what they were shooting at remained a military secret.

An unidentified object moving slowly down the coast from Santa Monica was variously reported as a balloon and an airplane.

Some observers claimed to have seen two planes over Long Beach.

Army intelligence, although uncommunicative, scoffed at reports of civilian observers that as many as 200 planes were over the area.

There were no reports of bombing, but several instances of damaged property from anti-aircraft shells.

A garage door was ripped off in a Los Angeles residential district and fragments shattered windows and tore into a bed where a few moments before Miss Blanche Sedwick and her niece, Josie Duffy, had been sleeping.

A Santa Monica bomb squad was dispatched to remove an unexploded anti-aircraft shell in a drive way there.

Warning air raid sirens at 2:25 a. m. (PWT) awakened most of the metropolitan area's three million citizens. A few minutes later, they were treated to a gigantic Fourth-of-July-like display as huge searchlights flashed along a 10-mile front to the south converging on a single spot high in the sky.

Moments later the anti-aircraft guns opened up, throwing a sheet of steel skyward.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25.—(P)—Anti-aircraft guns fired round after round of ammunition and tracer bullets at an unidentified object which moved slowly down the coast from Santa Monica and disappeared south of the rich Signal Hill oil fields early today.

Army officials declined to comment but speculation quickly arose that an enemy blimp might have passed over the area. This

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Loose Bombs On Jap Lodgements

CANBERRA, Australia, Feb. 25.—(P)—Australian bombers, striking at an encroaching rim of Japanese lodgements in islands 400 to 500 miles north and northwest of Australia, attacked both Rabaul and Timor last night, a Royal Australian Air Force communique announced today.

The attack on Timor followed the observation of large Japanese naval forces in the vicinity of Dili, capital of the northern, or Portuguese, portion of Timor, and the report that Japanese transports in Dili harbor were burning.

Today's communique said the attack was carried out under good conditions of visibility and that good results were obtained on anti-aircraft sites and searchlight positions, but did not mention any ships being bombed.

Dili, about 450 miles northwest of severely bombed Darwin, had been occupied by allied forces until Japanese launched an invasion.

"The RAAF operations last night extended from Timor to New Britain," the communique said, and added that all bombs fell in the target area.

While Japanese bombers struck again at vital Port Moresby on the southern shore of New Guinea, less than 400 miles from Cape York, bombed yesterday, a large force of Australian bombers again attacked Japanese-occupied Rabaul in New Britain to the east where buildings, aircraft, searchlights and anti-aircraft guns were blasted and fires were caused. One Australian plane was reported lost.

Lenten Services Tonight

Lenten services will be held at St. Paul's Lutheran church Broadway and Massachusetts at 7:30 this evening.

To Train Teachers For Sugar Ration Enrolling

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 25.—(P)—City and county school superintendents were instructed today to train volunteer staffs of teachers to handle civilian sugar rationing registration when it begins next month.

State Superintendent Lloyd W. King, in a letter to all school officials, said registration for "trade outlets"—stores, etc.—had been set tentatively for March 9 and 10.

Tentative dates for registration of consumers are March 17 to 20. Consumers will register at neighborhood schools to receive sugar quotas for their families. One member may register for an entire family.

Today's letter to school officials told them to make preliminary estimates of population

Allied Bombers Sink Three Ships of The Japanese

Reds Shatter A Three-Division Nazi Army

Kill 12,000 Of
Enemy In New
Strong Offensive

BY EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, Feb. 25.—(P)—Russian troops were credited officially today with crushing Germany's 16th Field Army, shattering three divisions and killing 12,000 men in what was described as only the first stage of a smashing new offensive in the Staraya Russa sector 140 miles below Leningrad.

A Russian dispatch dated Staraya Russa appeared to indicate that the town itself, hitherto believed to be in German hands, had been recaptured in the Soviet onslaught. However, a communique said only that "The Defeat of the Germans took place in the region of Staraya Russa."

Reports from the battlefield said the Red Army was advancing through territory littered with the bodies of Nazi dead and fields covered with abandoned big guns, automobiles and wagons.

Military dispatches said the Russians were pressing on in the face of strong German resistance and the handicaps of deep snow, sub-zero temperatures and the absence of any roads. The Nazis were reported throwing in large forces of reserves to block a thrust which endangered vast areas of defensive positions.

The army correspondent of the Communist party newspaper Pravda reported that documents seized in this battle included an order of the day from Gen. Von Brockdorf, commander of the Second German Army Corps—to which one of the smashed Nazi divisions belonged—acknowledging that the Russians "some time ago" had cut his communications.

"The Fuehrer is well aware of this position," Pravda quoted the order. "He personally ordered that the Second Army Corps, disregarding the danger of being cut off, should hold its ground."

The corps would be supplied, the order said, by a "strong force of transport planes" which Hitler himself was said to have ordered into action.

A special communique said la-

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Scout Progress Reports Given

Progress of five active committees in the Sedalia scout district was shown in reports to the Sedalia Scouters by chairmen of the committees meeting at the St. Francis hotel last night. Dr. L. S. Geiger, chairman of the local district, asked for the progress reports since the first of January of the Finance, Advancement, Leadership Training, Organization and Extension and Health and Safety committees of the district.

Camping and other outdoor activities for 1942 are being arranged by the Camping and Activities committee of the organization. Preliminary plans show a full schedule of scouting events for the year.

Guy Callender is chairman of finance; Ernest Baker, chairman of Leadership Training; Rev. Rumpf Advancement; Rev. King, Organization and Extension; Loan Richardson, Health and Safety. Dr. C. H. Weaver is the chairman of camping and activities.

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Nipponese In Attacks By Air On Airdromes

By WITT HANCOCK

BANDOENG, Java, Feb. 25.—(P)—Three large Japanese transports, part of a concentration possibly massing for the expected direct assault on Java, have been sunk by allied bombing planes off Macassar, enemy-held port in the southwest Celebes within 400 miles of Java's eastern tip, the Dutch East Indies high command reported today.

Japanese planes concentrated their attacks on this fortified island's airdromes—the sixth day in succession that the Japanese have followed the familiar pattern of softening up allied air defenses before launching a full-scale invasion attempt.

(Tokyo asserted 68 allied planes were shot down or destroyed on the ground yesterday in air raids on western Java, and claimed direct hits on a light cruiser and two 3,000-ton ships in the harbor of Batavia, presumably Tandjong Priok.)

Allied planes also raided an airdrome near Palembang, Japanese occupied city in southern Sumatra, and set three enemy planes afire it was announced.

Intercept Planes Of Foe

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—(P)—The war department announced today that seven American pursuit planes intercepted a formation of nine Japanese bombers protected by 14 fighting planes over Java, turning back the enemy craft and shooting down one Japanese bomber and one fighter plane.

In the Philippines, the department's communique said, small groups of General MacArthur's forces were uniformly successful in aggressive local actions as sharp encounters occurred all along the line in Bataan.

The text of the communique, No. 123 of the war, based on reports received here up to 9:30 a. m., Eastern War Time:

"1. Philippine theater:

"There were sharp encounters between our patrols and the enemy all along the line in Bataan. Small elements of our troops were uniformly successful in aggressive local action."

"2. Netherlands Indies:

"A formation of 9 Japanese bombers, protected by 14 fighting planes, was intercepted over Java by 7 American P-40 pursuit planes and turned back. Our planes shot down one enemy bomber and one fighter. Four other enemy bombers and two fighters were damaged in the attack. Our planes suffered no losses."

"3. There is nothing to report from other areas."

Blows At Airdromes

TOKYO. (From Japanese broadcasts) Feb. 25.—(P)—Imperial headquarters asserted today Japanese air raiders had delivered a "mortal blow to the British and Dutch air forces" by destroying 68 allied warplanes based in Java yesterday, but a navy spokesman said the United Nations had more than 1,000 planes in the southwest Pacific.

From 40 to 90 submarines were reported authoritatively to be operating against Japanese shipping in the area.

Imperial headquarters announced blows at both airdromes and shipping of Java, heart of the Netherlands East Indies.

The raiders also scored bomb hits on a light cruiser and two

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON AND
ROBERT S. ALLEN

WASHINGTON — By all odds the most important thing the American people have got to understand about this war—and understand it quickly—is that the axis is gambling everything on 1942, while the United Nations are talking about victory in 1944.

And the danger — which few people seem to realize—is that desperate, ruthless dictators, willing to stake everything they have, including long-range submarine attacks and landing forces 6,000 miles from home, may conceivably be successful in 1942.

After 1942, axis dictators know, the slow-moving, lumbering industrial giant of the United States will swing into action. After 1942, for the axis, it will be too late.

This realization is why some Washington executives now are advocating more troop transports and merchant vessels which can be finished this year, rather than battleships to be finished in three years. That is why an all-important backstage debate now goes on between the navy and win-the-war-now boys about switching turbines from 1944 battleships to 1942 troopships.

That is also why the win-the-war-now boys favor a stiff offensive. As Secretary Stimson said last week, carrying the war to the enemy's waters keeps their submarines out of ours.

Secret (?) Map
Joe Eastman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, was holding a hearing on construction of a badly-needed pipeline for crude oil from Wichita Falls, Tex., to Savannah, Ga.

Vincent Shinkle, of Trans-American Pipeline, was holding forth. He produced maps showing the mid-continent field this pipeline would traverse; finally came to a map showing the U. S. naval and air bases in the Atlantic area which this pipeline would supply.

Suddenly, up jumped Brigadier General Walter Pyron, strode to the hearing desk, ripped the map from the book.

"That map contains military secrets," he exclaimed. "Where did you get it?"
"From the National Geographic Society," replied Mr. Shinkle. "They have printed more than a million — all approved by the army."

Interesting and irrelevant coincidence: Before he was recently commissioned in the army, Brigadier General Pyron was a high official of the Gulf Oil company.

Big Oil Companies Oppose
It so happens that all the big oil companies are fighting this new pipeline. The proposed pipeline will be a common carrier. In other words, like a railroad, it will carry anybody's oil.

To get the significance of this, it must be remembered that pipelines are the means by which the big oil companies control prices and dominate the industry. A major part of U. S. oil fields are

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Looking Backward

forty years ago.

Prof. G. V. Buchanan, superintendent of the public schools of Sedalia, departed yesterday for Chicago, where he will attend a meeting of prominent educators. Supt. Buchanan was recently elected a member of the National Society for the Scientific Study of Education, the membership of which is limited to 100 from all over the United States.

George W. Donnellan has resigned his position as prescription clerk at Fleischmann's, and will leave today for Kansas City, where he has accepted a position with a drug house and will travel in the state of Texas.

The socialists of Sedalia held a meeting last night at their hall, at which it was decided to make an effort to have Sedalia named as the place for the state convention to be held for the nomination of state officers.

At a meeting of the school board last evening the resignation of B. W. Zimmerman as treasurer of the board was accepted and W. M. Johns was elected to fill the vacancy.

pioneered and developed by independent wild-catters. But after developing a field, they can only market their oil through pipelines, and those are in the hands of the big companies.

Even the new pipeline from Baton Rouge to Greensboro, N. C., to be used for gasoline, is owned 50-50 by Shell and Standard.

But the proposed new line from Wichita Falls, Tex., to Georgia will carry crude oil from any company.

NOTE: Mr. Ickes, usually a crusader for the little fellow, isn't enthusiastic about the independent pipeline. Some say this is because his deputy oil administrator, Ralph Davies, is a Standard Oil executive; some say it is because the promoter of the independent line, Aldace Walker, is the brother-in-law of Chip Robert, unbeloved by Mr. Ickes.

Dewey and Communists
Some members of New York's Board of Higher Education are convinced that crime-crusader Tom Dewey has made a political deal with the Communists as a step toward being elected Governor of New York this fall.

For some time, Communist teachers have been a headache to New York's four city colleges—Queens, Hunter, Brooklyn and City of New York. So a committee consisting of Ira Hirschmann and Lawson Stone, son of Chief Justice Stone, was appointed to give suspected Communists a fair trial, and if guilty, oust them.

Hardest clamor for ousting the Communist teachers was Charles Tuttle, active in Republican politics, an opponent of FDR in the 1930 race for the governorship of New York, and a strong Dewey man. Tuttle, a member of the Board of Higher Education, has constantly attacked the board for not taking drastic action against the Communists long ago. He even wanted to fire a big bunch at once.

The other day, however, Tuttle approached Chairman Hirschmann of the special committee on Communist teachers and said:

"I've been talking to Mr. X who wants to settle all this Communist business. And I think he's got a fine basis for a settlement."

"Why is it your job to settle this?" asked Hirschmann.

"Well, I couldn't refuse to negotiate, could I?"

When Hirschmann reported this to Lawson Stone, the latter's comment was: "Dewey has made a deal with the Communists."

Since then, Dr. Bella Dodd, representative of the Teachers' Union, has been negotiating with Hirschmann and Stone regarding Communist teachers who face trial, and proposing that a few of the more vehement teachers be ousted and all the others have the charges against them dismissed.

After she made the proposal, Hirschmann and Stone popped this question:

"How can we get a proposal like this by Tuttle. He's been yelling his head off to prosecute these charges."

"Oh," replied Dr. Dodd, "we've got him all fixed up."

NOTE: In his last race for governor of New York, Tom Dewey lost out by only about 100,000 votes. There are just about 100,000 votes controlled by the Communist party in New York.

Merry-Go-Round
On the front door of the vacant Japanese embassy hangs a bright new sign, reading, "Spanish embassy in charge of Japanese interests." . . . German interests in Washington are in charge of the Swiss minister, who incidentally is the brother-in-law of Vice-President Henry Wallace. . . . In Washington's International House, a Quaker hostelry, a Japanese girl and a Chinese girl share the same bedroom.

To Sell Bonds For Bomber

A new bomber with the name "The Missouri Legionnaire" will be purchased for the United States air fleet with proceeds from defense bonds which will be sold by members of the Pettis County Legion post and other posts in the state.

The plans for the campaign, which are now being completed, will include all of the Legion's 30,000 active Missouri members, and sales quotas based on the membership will be assigned to each post. The total amount sought for the purchase of the bomber is \$175,000, all in defense bonds and stamps.

When that goal is reached, the treasury department will notify the war department that the money has been subscribed and that one bomber shall henceforth be known as "The Missouri Legionnaire." Members of the Pettis county post have expressed eagerness to begin their part of the campaign. The quota assigned to each member of the post is expected to be about \$5.80.

The local post soon will open a drive to urge all Pettis countians to purchase defense bonds and stamps, and the "bomber" campaign itself will start as soon as final assignments are made to the county.

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Filling Station Attendant Shot To Death
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 25—(P)—Victor Block, a filling station attendant, was shot to death through the back last night apparently while he checked the

tire pressure of a customer's car. Police, unable to establish a motive immediately, said Block probably was shot by robbers. The station's cash register was open and all paper money missing.

The body was found face down in the filling station driveway. Block held a tire gauge in one hand.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Just Town Talk

A SEDALIA Gentleman

WHOSE OFFICE

IS CLOSED

ON SATURDAY Afternoons

HAS A Habit

OF TAKING

A NAP

ON THOSE Days

IN FACT

HE TAKES OFF

HIS CLOTHES

GOES TO Bed

AND JUST Sleeps

LAST SATURDAY

AFTERNOON

HE HAD His

USUAL SLEEP

AWAKENED ABOUT

FIVE-THIRTY

O'CLOCK

JUMPED OUT

OF BED

HURRIEDLY

GOT INTO Some

CLOTHES

AND WENT Into

THE LIVING Room

TO FIND His Wife

SITTING THERE

READING AND

EATING CANDY

"WHAT ARE You

DOING EATING

CANDY AT This

TIME OF The Day?"

HE ASKED

"WHAT TIME OF

THE DAY

DO YOU Think

IT IS?"

SHE ASKED

"IT'S TIME To

GO TO Work"

HE SAID

"OH WAKE Up"

"IT'S NOT Morning

IT'S SATURDAY Afternoon"

AND WHAT A Relieved

FEELING

THAT MAN Had

WHEN HE Finally

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JITTERY HEADACHE
(MORNING AFTER)
For jittery, nervous headaches, take Capudine. Acts fast because it's liquid. See how quickly head clears, nerves are relaxed, and you feel steadier. Use only as directed. 10c, 30c, 60c sizes.

Liquid CAPUDINE

SERVICE
The Best .. at the Bothwell

If you like efficient service without the feeling of being rushed (and who doesn't want this!), come to The Bothwell. The food is good, yet prices are not high. Try it today, and see for yourself.

Hotel Bothwell
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Our Service is as near as your Phone
CALL 126
for dry-cleaning and laundry pickup!

It's a new thrill every time you receive fresh, clean clothes from Dorn-Cloney's. Let us prove our expert service to you!

Men's Suits and Top Coats Cleaned and Pressed 75c

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Acid Indigestion
What many Doctors do for it
When excess stomach acid causes gas, your stomach or heartburn, doctors prescribe the fastest-acting medicines known for symptomatic relief—medicines like those in Bell and Howell's. No laxative. If your very first trial doesn't prove Bell and Howell's better, return bottle to us and get double your money back. 25c.

"At our house, we serve the real thing"

Pause... Go refreshed
Coca-Cola
TRADE-MARK

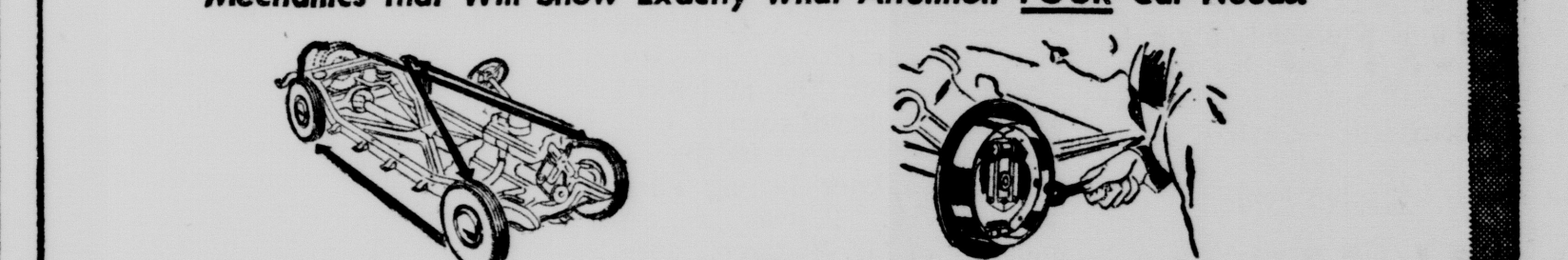
When you buy, you want to buy something with the quality you can count on. You want the real thing. Your guests want the real thing, too. Coca-Cola is the real thing in refreshment... with the quality of genuine goodness.

You trust its quality

BOTTLED UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE COCA-COLA COMPANY BY
COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY OF SEDALIA.

Spring Conditioning that's TAILORED TO YOUR CAR!

Come in Now for a FREE Inspection by Authorized Factory-Trained Mechanics that Will Show Exactly what Attention YOUR Car Needs.



WANT LONGER TIRE LIFE? When switching tires, do you remember the spare? If you'll let us switch your tires, working the spare in where it can best be used, each tire out of the five you have will be on the road only four-fifths as much as usual. Net result: Longer life from the same full set.

GOOD BRAKES MEAN SAFETY PLUS. Brakes ought to be kept in proper adjustment for safety reasons alone. Beyond that, brakes that are "out" can also result in unnecessarily increased tire wear. For best results, let Buick men adjust your Buick brakes to Buick factory specifications.

Your whole car lasts longer when it is conditioned as a unit — especially when trained Buick specialists do the job.

So we write your spring conditioning ticket to fit your car's needs — not to make up a ready-made "package" according to average requirements.

The cost is no higher than for a comparably good job anywhere else. It's actually lower in the long run, because it pays to have a job done right.

Drop in for a FREE check-up by our authorized factory-trained mechanics and let us detail the service your car should have this spring.

Better Buy Buick SERVICE
Ask About Our C. Y. C. (Conserve Your Car) Plan

E. W. THOMPSON MOTOR CO.
4 TH & OSAGE STS. Sedalia, Mo. TELEPHONE 590

Open Fire On Aircraft At The West Coast

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was based on the fact the object required nearly 30 minutes to travel some 20 or 25 miles—far slower than an airplane.

An official source which declined to be quoted directly told the Associated Press that U. S. Army planes quickly went into action. However, just before dawn, another official said no U. S. craft had gone in pursuit because of danger from their own anti-aircraft fire. He said anti-aircraft gunners reported seeing unidentified planes.

No bombs were dropped. The air clear sounded at 7:19 a. m. (10:19 a. m. EWT).

Mrs. H. G. Landis telephoned police that fragments of metal fell about her home and "a chunk of something" dug a hole in her back yard. An arms expert said the fragments were from an anti-aircraft shell.

Police at Venice, 14 miles west on the coast, arrested three Japanese for investigation of reports they were sending flashlight signals from the pier. Venice is just outside an area ordered evacuated of Japanese yesterday.

Craft Not Identified

A newspaperman at San Pedro said airplanes passed over the Los Angeles-Long Beach harbor area. The craft were not identified.

There were no reports of any attempt to bomb this area from the air although many war-vital factories, shipyards and other defense industries were on the route the object followed.

Although some watchers said they saw airplanes in the air, semi-official sources said they probably were the U. S. Army's pursuits.

All of the action, clearly spotlighted for ground observers by 20 or 30 searchlights, was just a few miles west of Los Angeles proper.

Observers said the object appeared to be 8,000 feet or higher. Firing, first heard shortly after 3 a. m., ceased suddenly at 3:30 a. m. after the object disappeared south of Signal Hill, at the east edge of Long Beach. Anti-aircraft guns fired steadily for two minute periods, were silent about 45 seconds, and continued that routine nearly half an hour.

All of southern California from the San Joaquin valley to the Mexican border was blacked out. Los Angeles doused its lights first, at 2:25 a. m. San Diego, just 17 miles from the border, did not receive its lights out order until 3:05 a. m.

Unofficial sources said army officials at Riverside, 40 miles east of Los Angeles, ordered the blackout.

It came 32 hours after a submarine fired 25 shrapnel shells at the Ellwood Tidelands oil field during President Roosevelt's war address to the nation Monday night. Damage in that attack was negligible—about \$500 to an oil well engine housing and power lines. Only two of the shells scored hits; 23 fell harmlessly into pastures, foothills and the beach.

Secretary Knox in Washington said the only reports he had received of enemy aircraft activity in the Los Angeles area last night were that it was "just a false alarm."

"There were no planes over Los Angeles last night, at least, that's our understanding," Knox declared. "None have been found and a very wide reconnaissance has been carried on."

Burglary Was Attempted

An attempt was made to break into the Koenig Bottling Co., 500

ARE YOUR Bowels Stubborn?

Then try kindness! First of all you can't expect them to act unless you give them a chance. Most people make sure to get 3 meals a day. But they never think of giving their bowels a regular time (daily) for evacuation.

If you've neglected YOUR bowels until they finally become stubborn and unwilling to act, ask your druggist for ADLERKA. It is an effective blend of 5 carminatives and 3 laxatives giving DOUBLE action. Gas is expelled and bowel action follows surprisingly fast. After that, make up your mind to give your bowels 5 or 10 minutes' time at regular hour, daily. Your druggist has ADLERKA.

McFarland & Robinson, druggists.

Public Sale

As I am leaving the farm, I will sell at public auction on the Anderson Farm, located 8 miles northeast of Sedalia, about 3 miles northwest of Beaman, and about 3 1/2 mile east of N. C. McFarland, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 5th - 10 A. M.

LIVESTOCK

1 Extra good team of horses, 4 and 5 years

1 Whiteface heifer, fresh in May

1 Shorthorn heifer, 400 lbs.

1 Shorthorn heifer, 700 lbs.

1 Good red milk cow, 5 yrs.

1 Good white cow, 7 yrs.

1 Shorthorn bull calf, 450 lbs.

24 Thoroughbred Duroc shoats, 75 lbs.

2 Thoroughbred Duroc sows, bred.

FEED

6 Tons baled lespedeza hay

5 Tons baled timothy hay

2 Tons baled clover hay

25 Bu. good corn

MACHINERY

1 5-ft. Deering mower

1 8-ft. McCormick-Deering binder

1 8-ft. tandem tractor disc

1 4-shovel cultivator

1 6-shovel riding cultivator

1 16-inch riding breaking plow

2 New turning plows

2 2-Section harrows

1 Mitchell wagon with bed

1 Low iron wheel wagon

Lunch served by Ladies of Salem Church

TERMS—CASH

Lawson Clingan, Auctioneer

McKinley Thomas, Clerk

GEORGE M. ANDERSON, Owner

Reds Shatter A Three-Division Nazi Army

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conically that northwestern front units commanded by Lieutenant General Kurochkin set the trap February 15 and "a few days ago the operations were concluded."

(The battle, of a scope rivaling activity in the bloody Smolensk zone 200 miles farther south, evidently represented a major stroke in Russian efforts to clear communication lines of the Lake Ilmen region in preparation for further thrusts at the rear of invasion units entrenched before Leningrad.)

Cripple Nazi Economy

BY MAX HARRELSON

BERN, Switzerland, Feb. 25—(AP)—The devastating effect of Russia's scorched earth policy, serious labor shortages, and the flight of thousands of potential workers before the German army were reported today to have crippled Germany's attempts to gear economy of occupied Russian areas to that of the Reich.

The German press has complained of hardships and difficulties created by the Russian scorched earth policy. The newspapers said also that in some areas more than 50 percent of the population departed with the Russian army, taking most of the horses, tractors and other implements, and that in Dnieperopetrovsk alone 200,000 of a total population of 380,000 left the city.

Those leaving usually are described by the Germans as being "taken away" by the Russians. The Nazi also complained about the number "taken away" from the Baltic states. German sources said that more than 50,000 persons, all skilled workers or professional men such as engineers and doctors, left with the Russians, and that more than 100,000 left Estonia.

The Germans have issued a decree providing for compulsory service of doctors, dentists, druggists, nurses and members of auxiliary medical branches in the Baltic states.

In the Ukraine, the Deutsche Ukraine Zeitung said, the agricultural situation is difficult because the Russians "killed or removed the best workers" and because of a great shortage of equipment.

The Germans were said to be resorting to forced labor in some sectors as well as attempting large scale population transfers.

In Bessarabia, the labor shortage was said to be so great that even the Rumanian population has been conscripted for farm work. A new decree ordered all persons between the ages of 12 and 60 to work on the farms from "sunrise to sundown."

Three Subs Of Enemy Sunk

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25—(AP)—Secretary of Navy Knox reported today that during January and February 56 attacks had been made on enemy submarines in the Atlantic resulting in the sinking of three and the damaging of four.

In the first comprehensive report made on enemy submarine activity in the western half of the ocean since coastal attacks began early in January Knox disclosed through a navy communication that a total of 114 ships of United Nations registry had been attacked by enemy submarines west of 30 degrees west longitude, the meridian which roughly divides the Atlantic.

Air Field Operators To Hire Own Guards

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 25—(AP)—From now on its up to Missouri airfield operators to hire their own guards.

Gov. Forrest C. Donnell has notified state mayors they can withdraw police and sheriff's guards posted last December as protection against sabotage. He said Washington has made flying field operators responsible for guarding their own facilities.

Write From Guatemala About Birth Certificate

The circuit clerk today received a letter from Octavio Barrios S., Consul General of Guatemala, in the Chicago office, asking how to go about getting a birth certificate for his wife and her two brothers.

He said they were born near Knob Noster, between the years 1870 and 1880, but did not give their names.

Bryan Howe, circuit clerk, will give him the desired information in answering the letter.

General Chairman To Attend Meeting Here

The International Brotherhood of Firemen and Oilers will hold its regular monthly business meeting at 7:45 o'clock Friday night at the Labor temple.

George Van Luik, general chairman, of St. Louis, will be present.

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Foreman On Section Killed Near Smithton

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gravel onto the place being tamped, and was bending over when the front of the engine caught him and he was thrown to one side of the right-of-way.

Scott had been using the tamper and had just given it to Schaufler. He had then removed a heavy jack and carried it across the track and started back when he heard Ehlers call. He jumped and landed on the bank on the north side of the track just as the engine passed.

Schaufler was caught by the side of the engine and thrown against the north rail, his head striking the rail and ties. He was knocked for a distance of nearly 125 feet where his body rolled alongside the right-of-way. His head was badly crushed, the right arm fractured, and the body bruised.

When the train failed to stop, Ehlers ran to the home of William Tavenner about a quarter of a mile away and called for the Neumeyer ambulance, and then notified the railroad of the accident.

Wife Took Call

Mrs. Sharper, wife of the injured man, is a relief operator at the Smithton telephone station, and took the call for the ambulances. She immediately sought relief on the switchboard, and came to Sedalia with her husband.

Coroner Called

Lloyd Buchanan, Morgan county coroner, was notified and went to the scene. After viewing the body he ordered it taken to the Neumeyer funeral home.

Schaufler late Monday returned with his wife from Jamestown, Mo., where they attended the funeral services for Mrs. Schaufler's brother, Freeman Less, who died at La Jolle, Calif., and whose body was returned to Jamestown for burial.

Schaufler was born at Marion, Mo., June 30, 1891. He was married December 28, 1916 to Miss Florence Less at Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Schaufler celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary last December 28.

Surviving him is his widow and one daughter Mrs. Frank Lueck, 317 East Sixth street, Sedalia. He is also survived by his father, William Schaufler of Marion, Mo., three sisters Mrs. Kate Chapman, and Mrs. Sylvia Gibley, both of Jefferson City, and Mrs. Julia Taggart, McBaine, Mo.

He was a member of the Baptist church at Eureka, Mo., and the Merremac Lodge of Masons at Eureka.

Schaufler moved to Smithton in September of 1939 from Eureka where he had been foreman of the section gang out of that place. Funeral services for Mr. Schaufler will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Neumeyer funeral home, the Rev. E. D. Weiss, pastor of the Smithton Methodist church to officiate.

The music will be in charge of the church choir.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

The casket will not be opened at the services.

One Is Fined For Careless Driving

Leslie Medlin, of Prairie Home, arrested by the police for careless driving, was fined \$10 by Magistrate C. W. Bente in police court this morning after pleading guilty to the charge. Vernon Edmonds, Goodman, arrested at the same time and charged with careless driving was dismissed after he pleaded not guilty.

The two men were driving automobiles which were in collision at Broadway and Lamine avenue about midnight Tuesday. Medlin was driving a Chevrolet coach and was headed south on Lamine and Edmonds was driving a Ford coach and was driving east on Broadway when the accident occurred.

Evacuate American Women And Children

ARUBA, Netherlands West Indies, Feb. 25—(AP)—American women and children, numbering 110, have been removed by airplane from this oil refining island off Venezuela, it was disclosed today.

(This dispatch did not give the time of the removal.)

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Three-Member Majority On Commission

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JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 25—(AP)—Gov. Forrest C. Donnell named a three-member majority to the state highway commission Tuesday and said he hoped are of his appointees—George H. Davis of Kansas City—would be selected chairman.

The board elects its own chairman but in the past it has followed the governor's wishes.

In addition to Davis, a Republican, Donnell appointed E. N. Meador, Cassville Republican, and Baxter B. Bond, Hannibal Democrat. Davis succeeded Edward W. Gray of Maryville, a retiring member who had been urged as chairman.

The appointments gave the new administration control of the last major state agency under the governor's appointive powers. The Donnell action left only one hold-over on the board, H. G. Simpson, Charleston Democrat who recently ignored the governor's request that he resign. Simpson's term ends in 1945.

K. C. Grain Man

Davis, a Kansas City grain man, is a former president of the United States Chamber of Commerce and one time head of the Kansas City Board of Trade. He also has been president of the American Royal stock show.

Technically Davis succeeded Gray for a term ending Dec. 1, 1947.

"I hope very much Mr. Davis will be elected chairman," Donnell said and added he had indicated that wish to the other appointees.

Meador, the other Republican member of the bi-partisan board, succeeded Col. Claude C. Earp, who resigned early this year so he could devote full time to the state selective service directorship. His term also expires in 1947. Meador, a Cassville publisher, has been a good roads leader for years. He served on the state tax commission from October, 1923, until February, 1925.

Hannibal Banker

Bond, the other appointee, is a Hannibal banker and long has been active in eastern Missouri civic affairs. His term will expire Dec. 1, 1943.

Bond succeeded Robert B. Brooks of St. Louis who resigned about two months ago.

Donnell did not indicate whether he would renew his request for Simpson's resignation. About a month ago the Charleston Democrat refused to heed the governor's request, saying he did not want to abandon a highway economy program begun by him before its completion.

Curb Pleasures To Prosecute War

LONDON, Feb. 25—(AP)—Sir Stafford Cripps, lord privy seal in the revamped British cabinet, told the House of Commons today the government would not permit a "business as usual" attitude toward the war from now on.

He made this statement as government leader in the House when he rose to defend the Churchill cabinet.

He announced that a government decision would be given shortly on the problem of India.

On the home front, Sir Stafford said, steps will be taken to halt "dog racing and boxing displays" which he called "completely out of accord" with the "solid and serious intention of this country to achieve victory."

Sentence To Woman 'Ponzi'

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 25—(AP)—Mrs. Amelia Everts Carr, shown in police records as a "petticoat Ponzi" with a half-century career, was sentenced today to serve eight to 12 years in prison on her plea of no defense to eight charges of obtaining money under false pretense.

Prosecutor William A. Wachenfeld of Essex county has estimated Mrs. Carr obtained \$1,000,000 in coast-to-coast operations.

County Judge Daniel J. Brennan pronounced sentence on the woman's 66th birthday. He decreed that consecutive terms of two to three years at hard labor be served on each of four charges and that similar sentences, to run concurrently, be served on each of the others.

The defendant made no comment. She smiled faintly on the way out of the courtroom, under escort of a matron.

A delegation of women from the Roseville Methodist church, where she was an ardent church-worker, was present.

Foot Is Painfully Burned By Hot Metal

Ernest Ireland, assistant janitor at the Sedalia Democrat-Capital building, was painfully burned on the foot by some hot metal this morning. A physician, who gave him attention, stated he would probably be laid up for about a week.

May Call For Work or Fight

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 25—(AP)—Drastic "work or fight" legislation may soon be sought by the administration to give the War Labor Board a strong hand in its task of eliminating all stoppage in arms production.

An informed source predicted today that this request to congress was likely, and indications were that it would command strong support especially since President Roosevelt called on Americans in his Monday night radio address not to interrupt work.

Proposals for such legislation were said to have originated with officials charged with responsibility for all-out war production. The arms program has lost hundreds of thousands of man-hours because of labor - management, union jurisdictional and other controversies.

As outlined by one influential Democratic senator, the legislation probably would include provisions for the immediate drafting into the armed forces of any striking worker who was subject to military service but who had received deferment because of employment in an essential war job.

Under tentative plans, workers not subject to the selective service who went on strike would be blacklisted and their employment banned for a period of time by any plant working on a government contract.

For Keeping At Work

The President's call for uninterrupted war production brought predictions in congress, meanwhile, that if the War Labor Board failed to find a formula to keep all of the industrial wheels turning without stop, congress would act to see that the job was done.

Senator Hill of Alabama, the Democratic whip, said he felt that some legislation might be necessary to give the board broader authority to prevent strikes.

"It just isn't in keeping with any all-out effort to win a war to have anybody stop work, even for an hour," Hill told reporters.

Agreeing with this viewpoint, Senator Ellender (D-La.), a member of the labor committee, forecast speedy congressional action if the WLB failed to guarantee uninterrupted production.

This action might come, suggested Senator Taft (R-Ohio), in the form of legislation to freeze the open and closed shop status of war industries and to link wages to the cost of living.

Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) felt that the President's pronouncement called for congressional action to fix policies, although he said he would be glad if the no-strike agreement reached by industry and labor last year could be carried out voluntarily.

There was some doubt, he added, whether that agreement was being followed to the letter.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDonald formerly of Trenton, Mo., who were visiting for the past few days with Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Oman, of 602 West Sixth street, are now located in their new home at 218 South Grand avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Dozier, 1701 South Vermont avenue, have returned from a visit in Fort Worth, Tex., with their son, Harold (Buss) Dozier and Mrs. Dozier. While there they were joined by another son, Hyatt Dozier, wife and daughter, Shirley Ann, and a nephew, E. J. King, all of Port Arthur, "Buss" Dozier is at present employed in a bomber plant.

S. B. A. Has Home Coming Repast

The members and their families of the Queen City Council Security Benefit Association enjoyed a delightful home coming dinner at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening February 23.

Other than the covered dishes the dinner was prepared by Mrs. John Bond, Mrs. C. M. Carier, Mrs. Ed Franke, Mrs. Harold Bundy and Mrs. W. M. Eckles.

A business meeting was held with Mr. and Mrs. Franke and Mr. and Mrs. Bundy the committee.

After the short business session the evening was spent in dancing.

Small Salary Claim Into Thousands

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 25—(AP)—The \$8.96 salary claim of John Bruun against a drug company in 1929 reached \$18,720 today.

Bruun based his claim on a corporation penalty statute that if an employee's salary is not paid in full upon dismissal it continues until the accumulated amount is paid.

The drug company attorneys asked Circuit Judge Paul A. Buzard to dismiss the suit brought in March, 1929, arguing that reorganization of the company in 1930 erased pending litigation and that Bruun made no attempt to revive the case.

Obituaries

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Funeral Of Mrs. Ellis
Funeral services for Mrs. Annetta J. Ellis, 86 years old, widow of the late J. D. Ellis, who passed away at her home 500 South Quincy Tuesday afternoon, will be conducted at the Gillespie Funeral Home at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The Reverend J. Fred King, pastor, will officiate.

Pall bearers will be the following friends: Lee Coke, Sherman Whipchert, B. F. Sandfort, C. L. Hanley, Finis Nicholas, and R. W. Dow.

Music is in charge of Mrs. C. D. Demand, who with Mrs. A. H. Bratten will sing "No Night There" and "Safe In The Arms of Jesus." Mrs. Mae Moser will accompany at the organ.

Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery in the family lot.

Mrs. Ellis was born at Mt. Sterling, Ohio, June 23, 1855, the daughter of the late Margaret Alexander and Leander Hicks. When a small girl the family moved to Lexington, Ill., where she grew to womanhood.

She was married February 14, 1880 to James D. Ellis, who preceded his wife in death. To this union were born four children, three who survive, Mrs. E. M. Phillips, Woodstock, Ill., Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Oak Park, Ill., and Mrs. Harry L. Judd, 1306 West Fifth street. Another daughter, Mrs. John Parkhurst, passed away in 1923.

Also surviving are nine grandchildren, five who are the children of Mrs. Parkhurst, and who spent a great deal of their time with Mrs. Ellis. They are Mrs. Frances Morang, Ocean View, Del., Miss Lydia Parkhurst, Carrollton, Mo., James Parkhurst, Rock Island, Ill., Mrs. Nettie Rissler, La Monte, and Miss Hazel Parkhurst, Washington, D. C., also four other grandchildren are James Ellis Phillips, Oak Park, Ill., Miss Margaret Phillips, Woodstock, Ill., Rosemary and Josephine Wilson of Oak Park, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis moved from Illinois to Missouri in 1903 and resided on a farm near Houstonia, where she resided until the fall of 1914 when she moved into Sedalia.

Mrs. Ellis was a member of the First Methodist church.

Funeral Of G. D. Lawson

The funeral services for G. D. Lawson, 70 years old, who passed away Tuesday morning, will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the East Sedalia Baptist church. The Reverend W. P. Arnold, pastor, will officiate.

Pall bearers will be friends of the family.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

Funeral Of W. E. Miller

The funeral of William Eugene Miller, Pettis county draftsman, who passed away suddenly last Sunday at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., was held at 2:30 this afternoon at the First Christian church, with the Reverend A. W. Kokenodoff, pastor, officiating.

Friends who were pall bearers were Lawrence Dailey, Tommy Cooper, Fred Handley, Earl Saunders, Jack Slane, and Robert Anderson.

Interment in the Crown Hill cemetery.

August Welling

August Welling, 78 years, brother of F. W. Welling of Sedalia route three, died at his home in Logansport, Indiana, last Wednesday afternoon.

He was born in 1864 the son of the late Herman and Catherine Welling of Logansport.

Surviving are two brothers, W. B. Welling of San Bernardino, Calif., F. W. Welling, Sedalia; two sons, Herman of the state of Michigan, William of Logansport; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Welling of Logansport and Mrs. Irene Irecky of Logansport.

Two sisters, three brothers and his parents have preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Lutheran church in Logansport of which he was a member.

Acting pall bearers were friends of the family.

Interment was in the Logansport cemetery.

Mrs. James Roy Lear

Mrs. James Roy Lear died at Carney, Mo., at 6:30 o'clock this morning,

Puts 90 Used Auto Tags In Collection

Hillard Stelling, of Cole Camp, has a collection of 90 used automobile licenses, all having been used on cars in his own family, which he brought to Sedalia Tuesday to be turned over to the civilian defense council.

Mr. Stelling brought the licenses to the AAA club in Sedalia, thinking they were salvaging them, but at the club headquarters he was directed to the container in front of the court house, where they were placed.

Autos Collide On Icy Pavement

Slight damage resulted in a collision at Monticau and Wilkerson avenue about 11 o'clock this morning. Icy pavement was the cause of the accident. Occupants in the two vehicles were not injured.

Mrs. S. R. Merrill, 816 West Third street, driving a Dodge coach, had pulled up to make a stop and a Chevrolet truck driven by William Corson, of the Corson grocery store, was immediately behind Mrs. Merrill and was unable to stop. The truck rammed the rear of the Dodge car.

Founders' Day For Mark Twain PTA

The Mark Twain Parent-Teacher Association will observe Founders' day with a program at its regular meeting, at the school, at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. Mrs. Elmer Dillard will preside and Mrs. T. E. Gasperson will be in charge of the program, which will be a play.

A tea and reception will follow.

Members are asked to attend.

Charge Two With Careless Driving

J. D. Blethorade, 922 East Fifth street, and R. L. Swearingen, 419 North Prospect, were arrested by police on charges of careless driving last night after two automobiles driven by the men

collided at the intersection of Main street and Prospect avenue. Swearingen was driving a

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Dodge sedan north on Prospect and Blethorade was driving a Ford coupe west on Main when the collision occurred, causing slight damage to both vehicles.

The two men were released on \$25 signed bond each to appear in police court Friday morning.

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"I LOVE YOU"

CHAPTER XIII

THEY spoke of many things—of his work, what they read, what they thought about. The rain came heavily and went away, leaving a persistent, protestant dripping from the eaves. It was much later when Parris said, "Maybe I better go now."

"Wait a little." She kissed his cheek.

"I love you, Cassie."

"No you don't, Parris. But that's all right."

"All right, what?"

"Someday I want you to marry me."

"Oh, Parris, there isn't any answer for that—now."

"But why?"

"Because you don't really want to."

"I mean it! How do you know what I think? I've got to study and be a doctor and it will be a long time—"

She smothered the rest of the sentence with her hand.

Parris opened the door and shivered when the drenched night air struck his flushed face.

"Listen, Cassie, I've got to see you."

"Maybe. Maybe I can think of a way. But you'd better go now, Parris, sure enough. It feels late."

"Listen!" The deep bell of the town clock struck slowly—four times.

"What'll you do?"

"I'm going over to Drake McHugh's. Then I'll say I was with him all night."

"Maybe I love you—I don't know."

THE thinning clouds were turning pink overhead when he knocked at the side door of the Livingstone house.

"Say! Who's out there?" Parris thought Drake sounded just a little frightened.

"It's me, Drake, Parris."

Drake flung the door open, blinking and incredulous. "What are you doing around here this time of night?"

"I've been at Dr. Tower's."

"This late?" Drake was incredulous.

"He's in St. Louis. I went by for my books. Cassie and I started talking—"

"He broke off 'Sho's beautiful, Drake."

"Don't I know it?"

"I guess I'm in love with her."

"Maybe so, but you'd still better take off that wet coat. And if Dr. Tower finds out you've fallen for her, even pneumonia won't save you. Come on and get into bed."

Parris laughed a little. What a wonderful friend Drake McHugh was! He understood you so well.

He thought of Cassie. An image of her floated into his waning consciousness and her presence in his mind flooded his nerves with a faint excitement.

SPRING in Kings Row was never more than a brief prelude to summer. The leaves unfolded and there was a week or two of balmy warmth, then a sudden onslaught of blistering heat. The idlers who hung about stores in the back quarters of stores came out and took their accustomed places on the courthouse lawn.

On the west porch of the courthouse was another group. This was the upper order. They were witless, jury, and judge of any happenings in the town or county.

"Say, I hear old man Tod Irving down at Little Fork passed on."

A new speaker interrupted. "I guess you all ain't heard the news about Mis' Sims."

"She was operated on by Dr. Gordon last week."

"Is that so? What for?"

"I don't know exactly. Something about her ear, I heard."

"Oh."

"Well, I hear the operation went through all right, but they say half her face is paralyzed."

"Does seem to me, though, this Gordon does a powerful lot of operatin'."

DR. TOWER handed a small German pamphlet to Parris.

"This may interest you. It is new and important."

Dr. Tower watched Parris keenly.

"I saw your grandmother yesterday."

Parris looked up, somewhat startled.

"Yes, sir?"

"I hope you won't misunderstand my question, but have you any idea what's wrong?"

Parris laid the book down. "No, I haven't really. I believe—well, sir, I just hadn't thought it could be anything serious."

"She doesn't look well."

The peculiar emphasis this time really frightened Parris. "Do you think there is something—"

Dr. Tower interrupted brusquely. "I don't think anything about it. I'm not your grandmother's physician."

Parris flushed darkly.

"Have you any relatives?"

"None at all. Only some very distant ones—that my grandmother doesn't like much."

"H'm. You'll be quite alone when—quite alone some day."

Parris didn't answer. His lips were quivering.

"Did you ever hear of Dr. Ladd in St. Louis?"

"Yes, sir."

"Do you think you could in any way persuade Madame von Ein to go to St. Louis to consult him?"

The color faded slowly from Parris' face, his eyes darkened, and his words came huskily. "I don't know how I could do it. She'd want to know what made me think of it."

"Yes, yes. Doubtless. Is Skeffington her lawyer?"

"Yes, sir."

"Could you talk to him?"

"Maybe. Or could you?"

"No." The reply was curt.

Parris shrank sensitively from the cutting tone. "I guess I'm being kind of awkward this afternoon, sir, but, gee, Dr. Tower, I—I've been scared all this winter. I didn't know why. It was just—just instinctive."

"H'm, yes, I see. I think you're going to be a good doctor, Parris."

"Isn't Dr. Gordon a good doctor?"

Dr. Tower looked steadily at Parris for a moment. "Not a very tactful question, young man, nor a very ethical one for a young doctor-to-be to ask." He smiled, and Parris smiled, too, rather wanly.

"You trust my judgment, do you?"

"Oh, absolutely. I know you know."

Dr. Tower colored a little, a very little. Parris stared.

"I'm curious to know why you think so."

"Well, sir, there are some things you just know."

"Instinct?"

"Yes, sir. I guess so." Parris moved forward in his chair. He forgot the distant formality that usually characterized his talks with Dr. Tower. "You remember that little book of Friedlander's that you had me read last month. He said a lot about unconscious observations and how we sometimes add up a long sum of this kind of observations and come to conclusions that are quite right without knowing how we got them."

"Yes."

"Well," Parris smiled frankly, "it's like that."

Dr. Tower looked grave. "Well, keep your mind open. You're going to see and learn a lot of new things in your life. We're on the brink—the very brink of important discoveries. Sometimes intuitions are a good corrective for the natural astigmatism of human perceptions."

"(To Be Continued)"

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to extend invitations to them several days in advance?

3. If you have a cold should you put off calling on friends who have children until you are completely over it?

4. Must you serve liquor, even though you can't afford it, because your friends always do?

5. Should you pay social calls on persons who are packing to move?

What would you do if—
(a) Neighbor calls and you have work that cannot be put off.
(b) Explain to the neighbor and ask her to excuse you?
(c) Keep glancing at the clock, hoping she will take the hint and leave?



Answers

1. No.
2. Yes.
3. Yes.
4. No.
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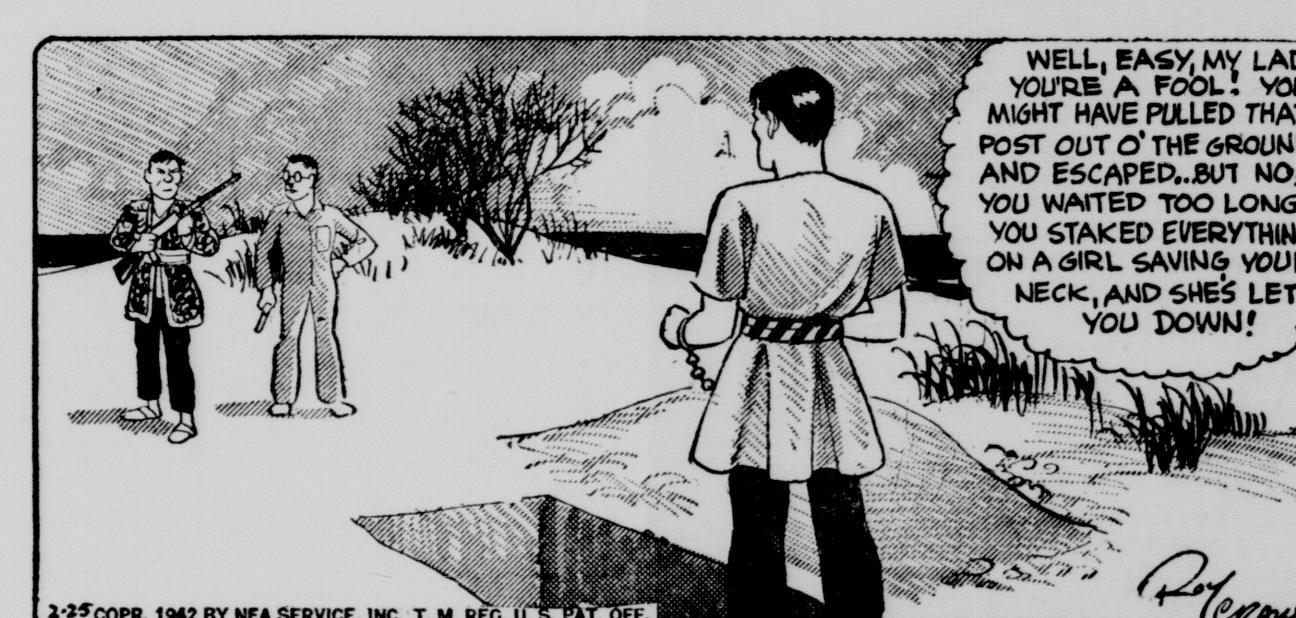
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HORIZONTAL

2 Pictured U. S. fleet commander-in-chief, —

12 Exclamation of surprise.

14 Concern.

15 To the inside of.

16 Him.

17 Contend.

19 Border.

20 Months (abbr.).

21 Meadow.

22 Bark.

24 Tendon.

26 Lines.

27 Fish organ.

29 Two fives.

30 Light tap.

31 From.

33 Assist.

35 Three (prefix).

36 Old English (abbr.).

38 He sails on a —

39 His crewmen are —

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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TARTIS

41 Editor (abbr.).
42 Metal.
44 Grove.
45 Fish.
46 Sailor.
48 Blemish.
50 Wall painting.
52 Mongrel.
53 Belonging to him.
54 Female of cattle.
56 Near.
57 Most desirable.
58 Dove's call.
59 Counterfeit.

11 He sails the seven —

13 Incite.

16 Chop.

18 Sprite.

21 Allotment.

23 Spanish coin.

25 Novel.

26 Metal bars.

28 Nothing.

30 Before.

31 Be in debt.

32 Fashion.

34 Clamor.

35 Tag.

36 Mineral rock.

37 Is (Latin) (abbr.).

40 All right.

43 In place of.

45 Hearing organ.

46 High relish.

47 Berry (bot.).

48 Examine.

49 Mow, as hay.

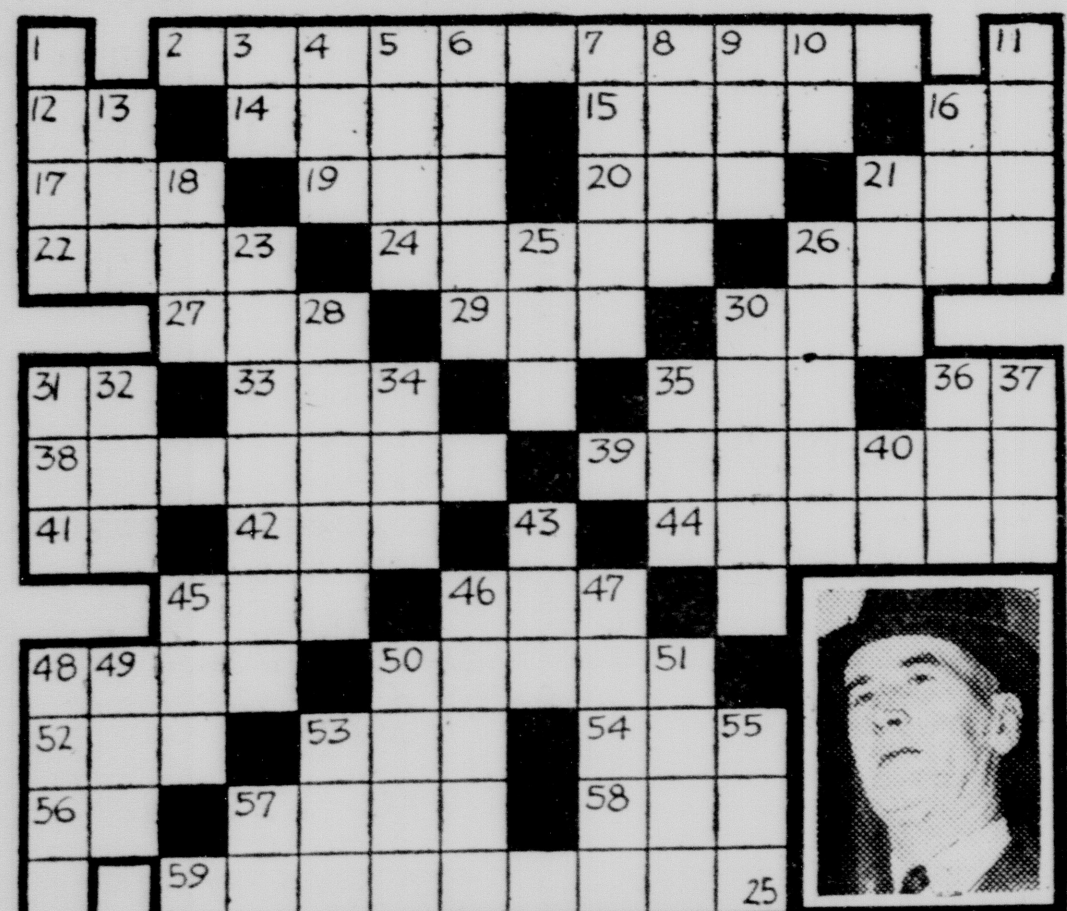
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51 Booty.

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HAVE YOUR old cotton mattresses made over into one of those fine spring mattresses, at a very reasonable cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company. Phone 131.

23-Insurance and Surety Bonds

NOW YOU can buy individual hospitalization insurance. Call Jack Crawford, 1313.

WANTED—Day work. Curtains, blankets, small bundles laundered. 1328 evenings.

25-Moving, Trucking, Storing

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

IV-Employment

32-Help Wanted Female

WANTED GIRL—Inexperienced, but willing to learn. Wages. Apply at 610 S. Harrison.

33-Help Wanted—Male

MAN with small family, not in draft, year round work, on farm. Write Box "5" care Democrat.

IV-Employment

33-Help Wanted—Male

MARRIED MAN to work on farm. Call Chas. Streeter, 3-F-21.

WANTED—Estimate for drilling well on farm. Write "Driller," Democrat.

WANTED—Man to work on farm East of Warsaw. Must have good team and farming equipment. Will furnish good house, barn and pasture. Will hire by month or share. See Mr. Kindred at Kindred Motor Company, Sedalia, Mo.

34-Help—Male and Female

FOUNTAIN help, male or female, experienced. Star Drug Company.

WANTED for aircraft and defense industries, men, age 17 to 50—women 18 to 35. Let an old reliable institution teach you body and fender, gas and electric welding, auto engine mechanics, aircraft construction, sheet metal, blue print reading and drawing. We train, down payment, balance easy terms. For free information write to The Stevenson Aircraft and Automotive School, 2002 to 2010 Main Street, Kansas City, Missouri. Established 1922. Investigate before you invest.

38-Business Opportunities

WANTED—Men age 27 to 55 to train for farm managers and appraisers. Expenses paid to Kansas City one week when you are qualified. Competent, trained experienced farm men earn from \$150 to \$250 monthly. Write for interview, giving phone, Dept. 32, P. Box 6827, Parkway Station, Kansas City, Missouri.

37-Situations Wanted—Male

MARRIED MAN—wants job on farm. Good references. Call 4302-J-3.

V-Financial

10-Money to Loan—Mortgages

LOANS—Farm—City 4½% to 5% Save 25% on your insurance. W. D. Smith, 307 Trust Bldg.

VII-Live Stock

48-Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

2 GOOD—fresh cows, young Jerseys. 1702 W. Broadway.

1200 LB. saddle horse. C. M. Paxson, Route 1, Fortuna, Mo.

JERSEY COW—2 gallon daily. Priced to sell. 209 E. Walnut.

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YOUNG Stallion, mares and horses. J. C. Thomas, Ottumwa, Mo.

FOR SALE—2 good mules, 2 years old. Gordon Baslee, Route 2, Ottumwa.

PURE BRED—Poland bull calves, 6 months old. J. L. Knight, Hughesville, Mo.

DUROC—fall boars. Eligible to register. Reasonable. Otto Zimmerschied, Ottumwa.

6 YEAR OLD Belgium stallion, weight 1650, 4 miles South Sedalia. Earl Mullins.

SOWS—and gilts, close to farrowing. Plenty of quality. Come and see them. 919 W. Main. Phone 454.

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49-Poultry and Supplies

100 WHITE Leghorn laying hens. Mrs. A. P. Stuart, Route 3, Sedalia, Mo.

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VIII-Merchandise

51-Articles for Sale

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55A-Farm Equipment

FARMALL TRACTOR—new motor. '36 V-8 pickup, \$250 each. Edmund Guier, Route 2, Sweet Springs.

56-Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

COAL—Deep shaft lump. Call C. T. McGehee after 5:30.

VIII-Merchandise

Continued

56-Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

COAL, wood, McCampbell Fuel Company, 512 W. Main. Phone 687.

WINDSOR Deep shaft lump, \$4.35 ton; nut coal \$4.00; stoker, \$3.50 ton. Also gravel. Phone 2197.

63-Seeds, Plants, Flowers

COLUMBIAN — seed oats, and coal brooder. Pam Grinstead, phone 20-F-3.

SEED OATS—Hillview Farm, La Monte. Hughesville Phone Exchange.

66-Wanted to Buy

WANTED TO BUY—Men's good suits and shoes. Phone 668.

WANTED TO BUY—Cash register. Pfeiffer Greenhouse.

WANTED TO BUY—Whole milk. Beatrice Creamery Company. Phone 510.

WANTED — Large Newhouse Trap's. Write Vernon Hamm, Bertrand, Nebraska.

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IX-Rooms and Board

68-Rooms Without Board

2 ROOMS—partly furnished, 914 S. Lamine.

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69-Rooms for Housekeeping

3 ROOM furnished apartment, downstairs. Phone 2253.

X Real Estate For Rent

74-Apartments And Flats

UPPER 4 room modern apartment, stoker heat. 313½ S. Kentucky.

2 ROOM—furnished apartment, 303 W. 5th. Inquire 1003 South Lamine.

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76-Farm and Land for Rent

80 ACRES improved farm, cash rent. Phone 1951.

77-Houses For Rent

7-ROOM modern furnished home, \$22.50, 662 E. 15th.

MODERN 5 room house. West side. Phone 22-F-12.

5 ROOM modern house, located 914 W. 5th. Phone 319.

7-ROOM—Modern house, west side, reasonable. Inquire 1302 Osage.

4 AND 5-ROOM—Houses, 313-321 N. Grand. See B. J. Holt, 218 W. 4th.

78-Office and Desk Room

COMPLETELY furnished office room. Cheap. Phone 106.

XI Real Estate For Sale

83-Farms and Land for Sale

OR TRADE 70 ACRE FARM—3 miles from Sedalia on hard surface road. Phone 328.

OR RENT—186-acre farm twelve miles southwest of Sedalia. Good improvements. Plenty of water. Reasonable. Mrs. D. S. Crissman, 772 S. Odell, Marshall, Mo.

XI-Real Estate for Sale

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83-Farms and Land for Sale

40-ACRE—farm, well improved, sell or trade. H. W. Elliott, Lincoln, Mo., Route 2, Box 163.

84-Houses For Sale

LEASE, OR RENT—807 W. 6th. Newly decorated. Excellent location. Reasonable. J. L. Van Wagner.

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89-Wanted—Real Estate

WANTED TO BUY — 80 acres, improved, 1316 E. 13th. Phone 1961-W.

Cattle and Grain Market

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—U. S. Department of Agriculture—Hogs: 11,000; market active, 15 to 18 cents higher; spots up more on heavy butchers; top \$12.25; bulk 150 to 240 pounds \$12.00 to \$12.25; most 240 to 270 pound butchers \$12.25 to \$12.10; comparable 270 to 330 pounds \$12.75 to \$12.60; good 160 to 180 pounds \$12.50 to \$12.60; most 260 to 300 pounds \$11.90 to \$12.10.

Cattle: 11,000; calves 800; choice steers and yearlings firm; well finished weight steers in broad demand; all lower grades weak. Light down top early \$14.50; but \$14.00 bid; numerous loads \$13.50 to \$14.50; little action on kinds selling at \$13.00 down to \$10.00 and below; heifers firm, \$14.00 bid on strictly choice offerings; other killing classes steady; weighty cullers \$8.25 down; canners mostly \$5.75 to \$6.75; heavy saucers \$10.50 and vealers \$12.00 down.

Sheep: 4,000; all classes active, around 25 cents higher; bulk good and choice 95 to 100 pound fed wood lambs \$12.00 to \$12.25; strictly choice kinds held higher; two deeks choice 122 pound fed range ewes \$7.40.

St. Louis Live Stock

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill. Feb. 25.—(AP)—U. S. Department of Agriculture—Hogs: 5,000; weights 170 pounds up to 20 cents higher; lighter weights and sows steady to 10 cents higher; bulk good and choice 170 to 270 pounds \$13.00 to \$13.25; top \$13.25; few 270 to 300 pounds \$12.60 to \$13.00; 140 to 160 pounds \$11.75 to \$12.60; 100 to 140 pounds \$9.75 to \$11.85; sows \$11.55 to \$12.50.

Cattle: 3,000; calves 1,000; around 55 loads steady on sale; market slow; few deals on medium grade light weights about steady at \$10.00 to \$11.50; one load good to choice medium weight steers \$12.75; general undertone weak; top sausage bulls steady at \$10.25; vealers 50 cents lower, top \$14.50; nominal range slaughter steers \$8.50 to \$14.00; slaughter heifers \$7.50 to \$13.50; stockers and feeders \$7.50 to \$12.25.

Sheep: 1,000; market not fully established; few lots good to choice woolled lambs to city butchers steady at \$12.25 to \$12.50.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 25.—(AP)—U. S. Department of Agriculture—Hogs: 2,200; closed active; 10 to 20 cents higher; no shippers top \$13.00; good to choice 170 to 250 pounds \$12.85 to \$13.00; few 270 to 300 pounds \$12.65 to \$12.85; sows 10 to 15 cents higher at \$11.90 to \$12.35.

Cattle: 5,800; calves 350; fed steers comprising liberal proportion of receipts; few early sales weak to 25 cents lower; some bids off weak; bulk fed steers medium and good grade eligible to sell from \$10.25 to \$12.50; load of choice 1,312 pound Kansas steers \$12.75; choice heavy Colorado heifers \$12.50; medium and good grade heifers \$9.75 to \$11.50; medium to good cows \$8.50 to \$9.25; good to choice vealers \$12.00 to \$14.00; few \$14.50.

Sheep: 7,000; opening sales lambs strong; sheep steady; good to choice fed lambs \$11.50 to \$11.60; 111 pound kinds \$11.00; early top ewes \$6.75.

Wheat Takes Drop Over Cent Bushel

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—Wheat prices sagged more than a cent a bushel and other grains took corresponding losses today as the futures market retreated due to trade nervousness over the government program involving disposal of large stocks of ever normal granary wheat and corn.

President Roosevelt's statement opposing the farm bill pending in the senate was an important factor in the trade.

Wheat closed 1 to 1½ cents lower yesterday, May \$1.25½, July \$1.30½ to \$1.30¾; corn ¾ to 1 cent lower, May \$6½, July \$5½ to \$5¾; oats ¼ to 1 cent lower; rye 1½ to 1½ cent down; soybeans ¼ to 1½ cent lower. Soybeans were off more than 2 cents at one time.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—

High Low Close

WHEAT—

May 1.25½ 1.25½ 1.25½

July 1.31¼ 1.30¼ 1.30¼

Sept. 1.33 1.31½ 1.32

CORN—

May .87 .86¼ .86¼

July .89 .88¼ .88¼

Sept. .90¾ .89 .89

OATS—

May .57½ .57 .57

July .57 .56¼ .56¼

Sept. .57 .56¾ .56¾

SOYBEANS—

May 1.97½ 1.95½ 1.95½

July 1.98 1.98 1.98½

Oct. 1.91½ 1.90¼ 1.91½

RYE—

May .87½ .85 .85½

July .89½ .87½ .87½

Sept. .91½ .89½ .89½

Answers to

Cranium Crackers

Questions on Comic Page

1. The big clock in the Parliament Building in London is called Big Ben.

2. So-called "hourglasses" may be of any size to denote passage of any length of time.

3. When it's 1 p. m. in New York, it's 11 a. m. in Denver, 6 p. m. in London, 10 a. m. in Los Angeles, noon in St. Louis and 1 p. m. in Atlanta and Boston.

4. Time and tide wait for no man. "There is a time and place for all things." "Time is of the essence."

5. Swiss watches get their name from the movement of their mechanism, not from whether they were made in Switzerland or by Swiss watchmakers.

Society and Club

Miss Esther Ward, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Ward, of Bethany, and Forrest E. DeLozier, of Windsor, were married at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, February 22, in the Methodist church at Bethany.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the bride's father, as the couple stood in front of an altar of ferns, palms and gladioli with lighted tapers on either side.

The bride was attired in a white satin floor length gown and finger length veil. Her corsage was of pink carnations and she carried a white prayer book.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Clifford Moss, of Kansas City, a sister of the bride, wore a turquoise blue gown. The bride-

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groom was attended by his brother, Dale DeLozier.

Before the ceremony Miss Naomi Ward sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Miss Elma Edwards, at the organ.

A reception was given at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ward, after the wedding.

The bride, a popular young woman, is a graduate of the Northwest Missouri Teachers' College, and has been teaching the past two years. Mr. DeLozier, owner of a cafe in Windsor, is a graduate of the University of Iowa. He is a charter member of the Lions club of Windsor, and active in civic affairs.

• Windsor

Mrs. W. T. JORDAN

Mrs. N. A. Pharis and Mrs. Lois Johnston entertained with a family dinner Sunday. Turkey and all the trimmings was served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Taylor, Miss Dode Wells, Wells Pharis, Mrs. W. E. Taylor, Jo Ann Johnston and Helen Wells from Kansas City.

Miss Bert Gallaher returned to Nevada last week to resume her work in a dress shop.

Mrs. Norman Humphrey entertained the H. B. M. club at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Munday in Calhoun last Saturday night. A dessert course was served at the four tables where the decorations and lunch was carried out in patriotic colors. Awards went to Mrs. Stedman Jordan—guest prize, Mrs. Beverly Van Slyke, low honors; Mrs. Porter Stoddard, travel and Mrs. Ralph Allen high score. Others present were Mesdames Walter Moser, Kenneth Moser, Kenneth Marti, Clarence Myers, Ed Alexander, Frank Silver, Ralph Allen, Garland Groves, Lloyd Merryfield, Henry Hendrickson, and extra guests Mesdames Henry Ira, Stedman Jordan, Joe Yartz, Porter Stoddard.

Mrs. Kate Wall was hostess to members of the Thursday club at her home the home of Mrs. Harvey E. Wall. Guests were seated at three tables where prizes at contract bridge were won by Mrs. Mrs. J. O. Williams.

Registration was completed in Henry county of all men from 20 to 4 years who had not registered on previous registrations. One hundred and eighty-seven were registered in Windsor with R. E. Feaster in charge with R. W. Edmondson, A. W. Head, Sampson Van Hoover and C. E. Bumpas assisting him.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Evans, formerly Windsor residents announce the birth of a daughter weighing five pounds. She has been named Mamie Jean Evans. Mr. and Mrs. Evans now reside in Atlanta, Ga.

Junior Cosmos club met Saturday night with Mrs. Ralph Allen. A pot luck supper was given for Mrs. Martel Morrow of Kansas City who resigned as sponsor of the club. Mrs. Roland Brown will serve as new sponsor. Contract bridge was played. Those in attendance were: Mesdames Harry Ordway, Garland Groves, Clarence Myers, Porter Stoddard, Lloyd Merryfield, Henry Hendrickson, Virginia Morrow and Miss Grace Wharton.

Earl Helphrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Helphrey, and Nellie Lee Christian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lura Christian, both of Windsor were married Saturday, February 14 in Clinton by the Rev. Arthur Olson, pastor of the Methodist church.

The B. & P. W. club met last week at the high school building with seventeen members present. The dinner was served by the home economics class with the tables decorated in the valentine motif. Mrs. Edythe Hamlin conducted the business session. Miss Illene Jones was in charge of the program, "Training for De-

Church Events

Mrs. Joseph W. Reid, program chairman for the Altar society of Sacred Heart church, announces there will be an interesting program at the meeting of the society, in the Sacred Heart parish hall at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

There will be a short business meeting, and at its conclusion there will be a book review by Miss Etta Hurley.

The Philathea society of the East Sedalia Baptist church will have an all-day meeting Thursday. Each member will bring sandwiches and a covered dish, for the lunch at noon.

Special guests will be Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Arnold.

The Self circle of the Epworth Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. E. Cline, 2400 South Grand avenue.

The Philathea class of the First Methodist church meets Thursday at 2 p. m., at the home of Mrs.

T. E. Gasperson, 2105 West Third street. Mrs. Lucile Johnson will be assisting hostess.

The meeting of the Golden Rule Sunday school class regularly scheduled for Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Alfred Lamm of 909 West Tenth street, has been postponed for this month, due to the illness of Mrs. Lamm and because of weather conditions.

Family Reunion Held At Smithton

Miss Mary Hotsenpiller of Smithton, who holds a position with the federal government at Brookfield, Mo., came Friday evening to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hotsenpiller over the week-end and on Sunday a family reunion was held at the Hotsenpiller home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hotsenpiller, Harry Hotsenpiller and Harry Pace, the two latter of Neosho, Miss Mary Hotsenpiller, Brookfield, Mrs. Mrs. Harry Pace and daughters, Barbara and Patty Jane.

A series of short talks, were given by Miss Marie Miller, Mrs. Ellis Huston, Mrs. Carl Newton, Miss May McCown, Miss Mattie Pepper and Mrs. Allen.

Mrs. Stedman Jordan entertained the following guests Thursday night at two tables at bridge: Mrs. Clarence Myers, Mrs. Garland Groves, Mrs. Henry Hendrickson, Mrs. Frank Silver, Mrs. Harry Ordway, Mrs. Norman Humphrey and Mrs. Ralph Allen.

The annual laymen's day was observed at the Methodist church Sunday with splendid programs throughout the day. Dr. W. H. Eckle, a prominent layman of the Southwest Missouri conference spoke on Laymen and the Church. A men's quartet composed of Beverly and Buford Van Slyke, Rose Kelsey and Turner Sappington gave several numbers.

C. E. Oechel, who was brought home from a Kansas City hospital last week convalescing nicely at this time, Mr. Oechel will return to the hospital for further treatment in a short time.

Mrs. Wanda Robertson was a Kansas City business visitor Monday of last week.

Mrs. M. D. Muir gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Jockers. Those present with the honor guest were: Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Alcorn, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Sutherland and Janet, and LeRoy Timbrock.

The members of D. A. R. chapter held a special meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Alvins Bradley in observance of Washington's birthday. Due to the bad weather the attendance was not as large as was expected. Following a short program the group listened to the president's radio address. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

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Former Sedalians In Florida Visit

A group of former Sedalians, now living in Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chancey and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Beaudoin, have spent the past two weeks in Florida, Palm Beach, St. Petersburg and Fort Lauderdale, and are today back at their home in Detroit. The

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